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Of Muslin Underwear. Nothing approaching it in mag-

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900 Cambric Covers, felled seams, 5c. 1,500 fine Cambric Covers, square neck and V shape, handsomely embroidered, 19c. 1,000 still finer, V square neck, embroidered, 39c. and 49c.

#### NIGHT GOWNS.

500 good Muslin Gowns, inserting down front, embroidered neck and sleeves, 29c.
500 Muslin Gowns, tucked yoke, embroidered neck and sleeves, 39c.
500 fine Muslin Gowns, Empire style, embroidered ruffie, 49c.
1,000 fine Cambric and Muslin Gowns, elaborately trimmed with embroidery, 79c. and 98c.

#### DRAWERS.

800 pairs Muslin Drawers, tucked and hemmed, 15c.
500 pairs Muslin Drawers, tucked and
Embroidered Ruflie, 25c.
1,000 pairs Muslin and Cambric, mostly
umbrella shape, embroidery trimmed, 49c.,

#### CHEMISES.

500 Corded Band Chemises; also some with inserting trimmed, 25c.

#### WALKING SKIRTS.

250 Muslin Skirts, deep Cambric Ruffle, 89c. 850 Muslin Skirts, deep Embroidered Ruffle, 59c. 500 Muslin Skirts, umbrella shape, with deep Embroidered Ruffle, 98c., \$1.19, \$1.39. Also 500 Flannelette Underskirts, extra quality, yoke band, full width, 29c., 39c.

#### APRONS.

1,000 Lawn Aprons, 5c., 9c., 11c., 19c.

MANUFACTURERS' SAMPLES. A choice lot of Sample Garments in Nain-scok, Cambric and Muslin, consisting of Night Gowns, Skirts, Drawers and Corset Covers, all richly trimmed with Embroid-eries and Lace, at greatly reduced prices.

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very handsome patterns, mostly detachable collars, 98c. instead of \$1.50 and \$1.75.

### SOFT WAISTS.

White Lawn, also fancy Lawn Waists, some very elaborately trimmed with embroidery, large sleeves, 49c. and 79c.; were 98c. and \$1.78.

## SILK WAISTS.

A choice lot of Black and Colored China Bilk Waists, the colored including very hand-some Persian patterns, all large sleeves, \$2.98 and \$3.59; were \$4.25 and \$5.

#### INFANTS' WEAR. Leaders for Monday.

500 pairs of Children's Muslin Drawer hem and tuck, buttonholes, four sizes, 59c.

pair.
500 pairs of finer grade muslin, 15c. pair.
250 pairs still finer grade muslin, em-broidared edge, 28c. pair.
Infants' Cambric Slips, ruffle on neck and

aleeves, 14c.
Fine short Dresses in Lawn and Cambric,
Typke handsomely embroidered, full sleeves, In fine Nainsook, embroidered neck and alseves, 49c.

An assorted lot of Gingham Dresses in material figures and stripes, embroidered and trimmed, 1 to 3 years, 59c. and 79c.; were \$8c. and \$1.48.

#### WRAPPERS.

All with Sleeves, Full Skirts.

Ladies' Wrappers in good Prints, light and dark colors, Watteau back, assorted sizes, 45c.; reg. 75c.

Fine Wrappers and Negligée Gowns, light and dark colorings, 59c.; reg. 98c.

Lawn and Percale Wrappers and Negligée Gowns, dainty patterns, braid and lace trimmed, 79c.; reg. \$1.30.

Ladies' Wrappers and Negligée Gowns, light and dark colorings, 59c.; reg. \$1.30.

Ladies' Wrappers in colorings of the Wrappers in extra trimmed, 79c.; reg. \$1.50 and \$1.75.

#### UMBRELLAS.

75 24-in. all silk, close-rolling sun umbrellas, blue, brown, wine, and green. with Dresden, gold, silver, and tiger eye handles, cases and tassels, \$1.95.

50 White China Silk Parasols, double ruffles, white frame and handles, \$1.45.

### TOILET ARTICLES.

Extra large Bath Sponges, 25c.

Medium Bath Sponges, 19c.
Celluloid Dressing Combs, quill back, all Scotch Horn Dressing Combs, assorted styles, 12c. Pure Bristle Bath Brushes, long handles,

Bolid Back Hair Brushes, best bristles, scorted shapes, 49c. Imported Tooth Brushes, 5c. Imported Tooth Brushes, warranted, 10c. Imported Tooth Brushes, warranted, 10c.
Triple Perfumes, 2-oz. size, all odors, 21c.
Cocos Floating Bath Soap, 3c. cake.
Green Castile Soap, best quality, 8c. cake.
Conti's White Castile Soap, 8c. cake.

## HOUSEFURNISHINGS.

Seasonable Items. Garden or Lawn Settees, hardwood seats,

Stoop Seats, large size Japanese, 5c. Garden Hose, wire bound, warranted, 6c. Platt's Chlorides, the best disinfectant,

Moth Balls, the best, 8c. lb.
Lawn Tents, 7 ft. square, \$4.45.
Mexican Grass Hammocks, 59c.
B5 Refrigerators, assorted sizes, all charcoal filled, 33 1-3 per cent. off regular

## WASH FABRICS.

#### Extraordinary Half-Price Sale. On Special Tables in Section C,

Extreme Rear of Main Floor.

Bit cts. per yard instead of 7 cts. for 26in Printed Batiste, handsome designs.
5 cts. instead of 10 cts. for 30-in. Corded
Dimities, dainty designs; also black and
white stripes.
6 cts. instead of 12½ cts. for 30-in.
Corded Dimities in Dresden and floral effects.
7 cts. instead of 15 cts. for 32-in. Irish
Corded Organdies, stylish effects.
6 cts. Instead of 12½ cts. for 32-in. Printed Jaconets, new and handsome designs.
5 cts. instead of 10 cts. for 30-in. fine
Zephyr Ginghams, stripes and checks.
7 cts. instead of 15 cts. for 40-in. Printed
Batiste, neat designs.

#### IN DRESS GOODS SECTION.

80-in. finest quality Printed Dimities, beautiful designs, 15c. instead of 24c.
82-in. fine quality Organdies, 12%c. instead of 20c.
32-in. India Foulard Organdies, navy and white and black and white, large, hand-some designs, 12%c.

#### SILKS. Specials for Monday.

23-in. navy, blue and white Lyons printed Pongee Silks, extra heavy, large, handsome designs, 49c.; value 69c. 23-in. Black Brocade India Silks, large and medium designs, 49c.; value 69c.

#### LACES.

Clearing Sale of Odds and Ends and Broken Sets at Less Than Half Price.

High class Laces, Insertions, Galloons and All Overs, in various widths and makes, embroidered, Lace and Honiton effects in white Linon, Ivory and two-toned shades.

Laces, Insertions and Galloons from 10c, to 75c, per yard.

All Overs, 49c, to \$1.98 per yard.

Valenciennes Laces and Insertions, white, butter and Linon shades, 10c, to 75c, per piece of 12 yards.

piece of 12 yards.

#### LADIES' SUITS And Separate Skirts at Very Low Prices.

To Tan Linen and Crash Suits, the accumulations of recent sales, many different styles in odd sizes.

Lot 1, \$3.25; lot 2, \$4.50; lot 3, \$7.50; lot 4, \$9.75.

The remainder of our handsome Summer Suits in French Organdles, Linen, Swiss, Batiste, White Linen d'Inde, trimmed with fancy ribbons and laces, at reduced prices.

Blue or Black fine grade English Storm Serge Blazer Suits, percaline lined skirts, cut wide and well finished, \$8.25.

Blue or Black Serge Suits, with the three-button "Sack" coat effect, lined with Black Taffeta Silk, percaline lined skirt, \$18.75.

Gray, Tan and Brown Cheviot or Com-

\$18.75.

Gray, Tan and Brown Cheviot or Combination Suita, with plain Serge Coats and Checked Skirts, \$10.25 and \$12.85.

Separate Skirts with deep hem, especially made to be relaundered, in Linen, \$2.10, \$2.75 and \$3.75. Plain or Figured Brilliantine, \$8.50, \$5.90, \$6.50 and \$8.50.

#### LADIES' RIBBED VESTS At Popular Prices.

Ladies' fine quality Ecru Ribbed Lisle Thread Vests, very low neck, sleeves handsomely finished, regular price 19c., at 12½c. each.
Ladies' extra quality fancy Ribbed Lisle
Thread Vests, Pink, Blue, Ecru and white.
handsomely finished with silk at neck and
arms, regular price 8 for \$1.00, at 19c.

Ladies' fine grade white gauze Vests, to match, sizes 28 to 40, at 25c. each; reg-ular price 35 cts. to 45 cts.

#### SHOES.

400 pairs Ladies' Tan Kid Oxfords, have been \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.85, to-morrow only \$1.98.

#### GLOVES.

Another lot of very desirable Ladles' white Kid Gloves, black embroidery, 4 button, 98c. The best Outing Glove is our 2-clasp washable white and natural chamois, 85c.
2-clasp Leather Gloves for Bicycles or
driving, all red tan, 79c. instead of 98c.

#### MUSLINS

and White Goods.

Yard wide fine quality unbleached Mus-lin, 5c. instead of 7c, Yard wide soft finished Bleached Muslin, 8c. instead of 8c.
Striped and Lace effects white Lawns and Dimities, 10c. instead of 15c.
Checked and striped Nainsook, 12%c. in-Striped suiting Pique, 12%c. instead of 25c. White dotted Swiss Muslin, 12½c. instead of 20c., and 15c. instead of 25c.
Remnants of White Goods less than half

#### BOYS' CLOTHING.

All Wool Knee Pants almost at Half Price.

200 all wool Cheviot Knee Pants, neat 200 all wool Cheviot Knee Pants, neat patterns, 4 to 14 years, at 48c.
250 very fine quality all wool Cheviot Knee Pants, in brown and gray mixtures, 4 to 16 years, at 68c.: regular price \$1.25.
150 dark blue all wool Cheviot Knee Pants, warranted fast color and to wear, 4 to 15 years, 68c.: regular price \$1.25.
Our 98c. Corduroy Knee Pants, best goods, 4 to 15 years, to-morrow only 73c.

#### LEATHER BELTS and Club Bags.

Genuine Morocco leather Belts, assorted colors, leather covered Buckles, 1½ in. wide, with two rows of eyelets, 48c.

Large assortment of Belts, 1½ inches wide, Buckles covered to match, in Black Grain Leather, Linen Canvas, Olive colored Brided Leather, white imitation Pigskin, all at 28c.

all at 25c.

Fine quality Silk Belts, 2 inches wide,
Plain and Basket pattern, with a diamond cut metal Buckle in silver and gilt,
black, blue, red and white, at 48c.

Heal Alligator Club Bag, covered frame,
Brass lock and catches, leather lined, with inside spring, new shape, strong handle, 10 inch, \$1.89; 11 inch, \$2.29; 12 inch, \$2.59; 18 inch, \$2.89; 14 inch, \$8.29; 15 inch, \$3.59; 16 inch, \$3.89; 17 inch, \$4.19; 18 inch, \$4.49.

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Brooklyn Savertisements.

22-inch Bleached Damask Napkins, \$1.85 doz. instead of \$2.25.
24-inch Bleached Damask Napkins, \$2.50 doz. instead of \$3.25.
Superior quality Bleached Damask, 85c. instead of \$1.00. Superior quality Bleached Damask, \$1.00 instead of \$1.25.

#### CROCKERY.

50 assorted Toilet Sets, handsomely decorated, gilt and striped tracing, all large pieces, \$3.25.

12 English Dinner Sets, handsome decorations, service for 12 people, \$11.50.

French Dinner Sets, neat floral decorations and gilt, \$22.50.

Mason's Fruit Jars, pints and quarts, 4c. ea.

dc. ea.
Jelly Tumblers, with covers, 2c. ea.

#### RUGS At Half Price.

Axminster Mats, 62c, instead of \$1.25, Carpet Rugs, 1½ yards long, fringed, 75c, astead of \$1.50. Moquette Rugs, \$1.75 instead of \$3.50. Summer Cottage Rugs, \$4.50 instead of 50 Daghestan Rugs, antique and modern, \$5.00 instead of \$10.00.

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FURNITURE AND CARPETS, 86-88 MYRTLE AV., BROOKLYN COR. LAWRENCE ST.

Peddler Arquorits Stabbed His Antagonist. Antonio Arquoriis, a peddler of 85 Baxter street, was held for trial yesterday in the Centre Street Court. Arquerlis stabbed Joseph Centre Street Court. Arquorits stabbed Joseph Tino, 20 years old, on Tuesday night, in front of a salcon at 1d1 Mott street. The two met there and came to blows over some trivial matter. Finding himself getting the worse of the fight, the prisoner drew a kolfe and stabbed Tino four times. The latter fell to the ground. The peddler was arrested, and the wounded man was removed to his home at 7 Chrystis street, where it was found that he had wounds in the right leg, hip, arm, and abdomen.

Frank L. Montgomery, an insurance agent, who has rooms at the Tecumseh, Sixty-seventh street and the Boulevard, was a prisoner in the Centre Street Court yesterday, having been arrested on Friday on a warrant issued at the request of Emanuel M. Levy of 611 Broadway. The complainant is the chief agent in this city of the New York Life Insurance Company, and alleges that Montgomery, who was soliciting business for the company, collected a premium of \$91.00 and appropriated the money to his own use. own use.

Magistrate Deuel held the defendant for examination.

#### Summer Silks.

Never mind the why and wherefore of these unparalleled values, but be satisfied with the opportunity offered you to buy splendid

seasonable shirts for less than they've ever

LOT 1-Men's Semi-Negligee Shirts of

fine percale in neat patterns-soft bosoms,

with two detachable turn down collars

and one pair of detachable reversible link

cuffs-felled seams-extension facingsfull stays-5 sleeve lengths, worth every

cent of \$1.35 . . . At 65c. each The collars and cuffs alone are worth

50c., that leaves 15c. for the shirt

A chance that no woman with a silk want can afford to miss.

#### High Grade Muslin Underwear.

There's a big difference in Underwear—Some of it's made to SELL and some to WEAR—Ours is made to wear, and it's well made—Large sleeves, full widths and perfect fitting—It's so good that you'll wonder at the small prices we ask for it—But everything is small priced here—

Fine Cambric Gowns, with yoke of tucks and embroidered turn over collar, also in Empire style, with two insertions of fine embroidery. 970

Pretty Muslin Gowns, Empire, V and square necked, some with 4 rows of insertion, at. 58c

Women's

600 Waists of imported grass linen—some with handsomely embroidered fronts, others with cross stripes of different colored silk—detached collars—the prettiest and most stylish waists made. They sold early in the season from \$5.00 to \$6.50 each—To-morrow you can take your choice of them for \$2.48 Summer Dresses & Skirts. There's no excuse for any woman not having one or more charming Summer Suits or Skirts when they can be had at such low prices as these. 700 Waists, Dimities and lawns, also linen effects, with detached collars, value 1.98

50 black and light mixture Outing Suits, 500 Lawn. Percale and Dimity Waists, some tailor finished—detached or attached 1,000 assorted Waists, detached or attached collars, all extra large bishop sleeves, value 97c., at 750 Laundered Waists, in fine checks and

stripes, large bishop sleeves, value 69c., at 19c.

FLOWERS AS FOOD. Varieties That Are Regarded as Edibie is

In many parts of India the flowers of a saponaceous tree, Bassia latifolio or mahwah, form a really important article of food. These blossoms, which are succulent and very numerous, fall at night in large quantities from the tree, and are gathered early in the morning and eaten raw. They have a sweet but sickly taste and odor. They are likewise dried in the sun and sold in the bazaars. The Bheels dry them and store them as a staple article of food, and so important are they considered for this purpose that when in expeditions for the punishment of or subjection of these tribes, when unruly, a threat is made by the invading force to cut down their Bassia trees, the menace most com-

monly insures their aubmission. An ardent spirit like whiskey is distilled from these flowers, and is consumed in large quantities by the natives of Guzerat, &c. The Parsees and hill people eat the flowers both raw and cooked, often with the addition of grain, and make sweetmeats of them. A single tree will afford from 200 to 400 pounds of flowers. The blossoms of another species, B. longifolia are employed in a similar manner by the natives are employed in a similar manner by the natives of Malabar and Mysore, where it abounds. They are either dried and roasted and then eaten, or are bruised and boiled to a jelly and made into mail balls, which are sold or exchanged for fish, rice, and various sorts of small grain.

The flowers of the Judas tree, Cercis Niliquastrum, of Europe, have an agreeable acid taste and are sometimes mixed with salads or made into fritters with batter, and the flower buds are pickled in vinegar. The flowers of the American species, C. Canadensis, the red bud, are used by the French Canadians in salads and pickles.

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The flowers of the Aubition esculentum beneau de dees, are used in Brazil as a boiled vegetable. The flowers of Moringa pteruposperma, the horseradish tree, are esten by the natives of India in their curries.

The large and snowy flowers of Trapacoum majus, the Indian cress or nasturtium, are frequently used along with the young leaves as a salad. They have a warm taste, not unlike that of the common cress, and it is from this circumstance that the plant has obtained the name of nasturtium.

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The young calices of Dillenia scalivella and D. specieso, which are swollen and fleshy, have a pleanantly acid taste and are used by the inhabitants of Chittagong and Bengal in their curries and also for making jelly.

The flowers of Rhadodendron aborcum are eaten by the hill people of India, and are made into a jelly by the European visitors. Yet polsonous properties are usually ascribed to the species of this yenus, and it has been said that the R. Ponticum was the plant from whose flowers the bees of Pontus collected the hency that produced the extraordinary symptoms of polsoning described as having attacked the Greek soldiers in the retreat of the 10,000.

The flower buds of Zygophylium Fabogo are

of Mclianthus major, a plant of the same order, are so full of honey that the natives of Good Hope, where the plant grows wild, obtain it for food by shaking the branches, when it falls in a heavy shower.

Coccolidat unifera is remarkable from the peculiarity of the calyx, which becomes pulpy and of a violet color, whence the plant is called the seaside grape. The pulpy calyx has an agreeable acid flavor and is edible.

The flower stalks of Horenia ducis become extremely large and succulent, and are used in China as a fruit. It is said that in flavor they resemble a ripe pear.

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The flowers of the pumpkin were cooked and eaten by some of the tribes of the American Indians, especially by the Aztecs, by whom they were highly esteemed.

The cauliflower, which has been known from remote antiquity, differs in a remarkable manner from all the other varieties of the cabbage tribe, whose leaves and stalks alone are used for culinary purposes. Instead of the latter being used, the flower buds and fleshy flower stalks, which form themselves into a firm cluster or head varying in size from four to eight or more inches in diameter, here become the edible portion and one of the greatest of vegetable delicacles.

delicacies.

The flower buds of Capparis spinosa, a plant which grows on walls, &c., in the south of Europe, are pickled in vinegar in Italy, and form what are commonly known as capers. These are chiefly imported from Sicily, though the plant is largely cuitivated in some parts of France.

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The cloves of commerce are the unexpanded flower buds of Carmophyllus are madicus i Murtacae, a small evergreen, native of the Moluccas but cultivated in several parts of the East and West Indies. Hefore the expansion of the flowers, which are produced in branched pancies at the extremity of the branches, and are of a delicate peach color, the buds are collected by hand, or else sheets or mats are spread under the tree and the buds brought down by benting it with sticks. They are cleaned and then dired in the san. A uniform brown color is imparted by slightly smoking them over a wood fire. The flower buds of Calippranthes aromaticus. flower buds of Calipptranthes aromaticus, another plant of the same order, may be advantageously substituted.

The flower buds and the berries of the myrtle, Myrtus communis, were eaten as spices by the ancients, and are still used in Tuscany instead of terroger. of peoper,
Long peoper is furnished by the immature spikes of flowers of thereta Recharghis, which are gathered and dried in the sun. In chemical composition and qualities it resembles ordinary black peoper, and contains piperine.

Chased the Lunchman with a Revolver. On Friday night a policeman saw one man chasing another through Battery Park, revolver in hand, and threatening to shoot. The policeman joined in the chase and arrested the man with the revolver, who proved to be Patrick Riordan, a cooper, of 17 Washington street. The man whom the cooper was chasing is Marco Givano, a Greek, who keeps a lunch stand at Washington street and Battery place. He claimed that the prisoner came to his place, at ethirty cents' worth of lunch, and then handed him fivecents. When he asked for the remainder, Riordan, he says, drew the revolver and chaied him. In the Centre Street Court yesterday Riordan was fined \$5.

200 Lawn Negligee Gowns, Empire styles, trimmed with embroidery......89c 50 doz. Lawn Corset Covers, full sleeves to the elbow, to be worn with shirt waists.....

ill skirt and jaunty blazer, were 10.00, at. 6.35
Linen Crash Skirts \$1.45
Dainty Summer Dresses, Lace trimmed, never sold for less than \$7 to \$12.00, to charmingly made and richly trimmed with ribbons and lace, were 15.00, at 9.75 Second floor.

St. Lawrence.

# OURNEAV BURNHAM. BROOKLYN.

SPECIAL SHOWING

#### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Will place on sale to-morrow a large line of Muslin Night Gowns, tucked yoke, cambric ruffle around neck, front of yoke, and sleeves, at 50c. each.

Cambric Gowns, V-neck, 4 rows of insertion in yoke, wide embroidery around yoke, neck, and sleeves, at 75c. each.

Drawers, cambric or muslin, with embroidered ruffle and tucks above, at 50c.

Walking Skirts, with embroidered flounce, at 60c.

Corset Covers, V-shape, prettily trimmed with embroidery, at 25c.

Also 200 Seersucker Skirts, extra size, umbrella shape, a variety of stripes, at 65c. each; value \$1.00.

## Monday's Great Offers of LINENS.

80 dozen extra heavy white Turkish Bath Towels, the regular 50c. quality, at 25c. each. 1,000 yards 72-inch bleached extra heavy Table Damask, the \$1.25

quality, at 900. yard. 100 dozen Dinner Napkins, choice patterns, usually sell at \$7.50, at \$5.00 dozen.

WE ARE DISPLAYING A FULL LINE OF  ${f BAMBOO\,SIDARRI\,PORCH\,BLINDS}$ Best quality outside bark, all sizes, at 75c. upward.

## LADIES' WAISTS.

Will show 75 doz. sheer lawn and percale Waists, that were \$1.00 to \$1.75, at 50c. each.

# JOURNEAY AND BURNHAM.

THE OTTAWA RIVER CANAL.

Short Cut from Georgian Bay to the St. Lawrence-Thence to Lake Champlain and Down the Hudson to New York. The question of shorter and cheaper grain routes from the Northwest to Europe, which occupies so much attention in the United States, is also carnestly studied in Canada. There, too, various solutions are proposed, some of them involving doubtful experiments. Prominent among them, and strongly urged by its advocates, is what is known as the Ottawa

River canal route. A glance at the map shows that the mouth of the Ottawa, where the river empties into the St. Lawrence, not far from Montreal, is nearly due east from Sault Ste. Marie, the famous grain route from the Lake Superior grain region. It is further seen that the Ottawa River, after taking its great bend east of Lake Nipissing, flows easterly to its junction with the St. Lawrence. It is also observed that Lake Nipissing empties into Georgian Bay, by the French River, at a point nearly due east of Sault Ste. Marie. The proposal, therefore, is, by a series of canals, in connection with the French and Ottawa rivers and Lake Nipissing, to cut off the roundabout route, which dips so many degrees southward, through Lake Huron, St. Clair River, Lake St. Clair, Detroit River, Lake Erie, and so on eastward, either through the Erie Canal and the Hudson River to New York, or through the Welland Canal and Lake Ontario to the

In view of the fact that New York is the great shipping point for grain, it is further proposed to extend the route to Lake Champlain by canal. Lake Champlain empties into the St. Lawrence by the Richelieu River, at Sorel, below Montreal; but, without using that route, it

canal. Lake Champlain empties into the St. Lawrence by the Richelieu River, at Sorel, below Montreal; but, without using that route, it is proposed to cut a canal across to Lake Champlain or to the Richelieu near the lake, and thus to gain communication by way of the Hudson with New York.

The engineering practicability of the Otlawa route is beyond dispute, and the only question is that of cost in competing with existing systems; for, apart from the expense of canalling and dredging through this long distance, it must be remembered that the Eric Canal is free, whereas the new route would propose to support itself by toils.

The prodigious amount of traffic between Lake Superior and Lake Huron by way of the Sauit Ste. Marie Canal, and the trade from Chicago by way of Lake Michigan, form the basis of the calculations of the Dominion engineers as to the probable paying capacities of the Otlawa route in diverting a part of that traffic from the present route through Lake Erie. Then there is a large agricultural region of the Canadlan northwest which would lie close upon the new route, or so near that the latter might be taken by preference.

Looking again at the route itself, it will be seen that the amount of new canal cutting to be done is remarkably small, on account of the length of the sections now covered wholly or in part by waterways. It has been said that less than thirty miles of actual canal would be required; but whether that estimate by friends of the enterprise is or is not too favorable, no doubt there would need to be a great amount of dredging. One point to be noted is that the river system throughout, from Georgian Bay, which is a great arm of Lake Huron, across to Montreal, presents long stretches of deep and calm water. Between these are interspersed shallow stretches, which require expensive dredging, and also, at various points, rapids, around which canals must be the one between the eastern end of Lake Nipissing, near North Bay, and the point where the Otlawa liver is struck, near Mattawa; b

the longest being, as the course proceeds eastward, Coulonge, Chais, Deschenes, Lake of the Two Mountains, and St. Louis Lake. Some of these are twenty miles long or more. One portion of the Ottawa for a distance of between twenty and thirty miles is know as Deer River, and is not only deep, but not by straight and wide. At many places it wil be easy to obtain suitable slack-water lake in gation by dams. The Ottawa, as a whole, only has an ample water supply, but a steal, flow, with an exceedingly moderate rise and fail. It is said that the French River and the smaller one at Mattawa present the same general advantages. flow, with an exceedingly moderate rise and fall. It is said that the French River and the smaller one at Mattawa present the same general advantages.

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Eric Canal. and 'from Montreal by the Ottawa is nearly 450 miles less than to New York by the Eric Canal.' and 'from Montreal to Liverpool there is about the same saving of distance, when compared with that from New York to Liverpool, there would be a total gain of nearly 900 miles. Again, the vessel going by the Eric route would have 'more than ten times as much canal travel.' and it is urged that better time can be made on the more open river and lake route of the north. Of course, the saving is not so great as by the new route for points north of Chicago, and especially as far north as Dulth, since the course through Lake Eric is somewhat less roundabout.

It should be said, however, that the route by way of the St. Lawrence is open to objections. One of them is its high latitude, exposing it to be blocked with ice during a very long winter, and another is the present condition of navigation there; for the occasional checking of tradic by vessels grounding in certain parts of the river and swinging across the channel, stimulates caution in regard to travel at night. But, as has been said, the Ottawa route also pioposes to reach the scaboard as New York For this purpose it would be sufficient to construct a canal about thirty-two miles long, from Lake St. Louis to St. Johns on the Richelieu. Thence the route would proceed by Lake Champlain to the Hudson, although in ord about sixty-six miles of canal between Lake Champlain and the Hudson," at considerable expense.

As to the cost, ardent advocates of the new route have put at \$37,500,000 the total expense of completing the route from Georgian Hay to Montreal, with the construction of a canal from Lake St. Louis to Lake Champlain and the enlargement of the canals from the latter to the Hudson. This, too, would allow a depth of fourteen feet over parts of the route and of twelve feet over other parts. It would require an expert, however, to go into details in order to assertain whether such an estimate is sound; for in such enterprises zealous friends sometimes estimate at hardly one-half what the cost proves to be. Still, it is urred that with such anjoutlet to the seaboard the route would secure a large traffic in coal and other products as well as in grain, and in general could hope for a good share of the freight between Canada and New York and the New England States.

What shaps the project for another great grain route to the seaboard will finally take in uncertain; but meanwhile the friends of the Ottawa River canal project are collecting facts to show its claims to consideration.

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